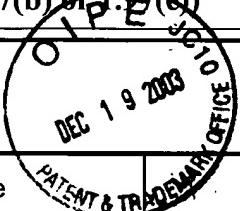


**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
(Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c))

Docket No.  
H0001612-4

In Re Application Of: Osterfeld et al.



#8/2003

Serial No.  
10/037,565

Filing Date  
11/07/01

Examiner  
T. Bui

Group Art Unit  
3754

Title: Material dispensing apparatus including a nozzle having a wedge-shaped aperture, and method of using same

Address to:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**37 CFR 1.97(b)**

1.  The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing of a national application other than a continued prosecution application under 37 CFR 1.53(d); within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, or before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114.

**37 CFR 1.97(c)**

2.  The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after the period specified in 37 CFR 1.97(b), provided that the Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311, or an Action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, and is accompanied by one of:

the statement specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

OR

the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

**RECEIVED**

DEC 29 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

12/23/2003 CNGUYEN 00000100 061130 10037565

01 FC:1806 180.00 DA

**TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**(Under 37 CFR 1.97(b) or 1.97(c))**

Docket No.  
H0001612-4

In Re Application: Osterfeld et al.

Serial No.

10/037,565

Filing Date

11/07/01

Examiner

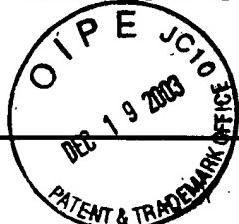
T. Bui

Group Art Unit

3754

Material dispensing apparatus including a nozzle having a wedge-shaped aperture, and method of using

same



**Payment of Fee**

(Only complete if Applicant elects to pay the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p))

- A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 06-1130 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- Charge the amount of \$180.00
- Credit any overpayment.
- Charge any additional fee required.

**Certificate of Transmission by Facsimile\***

I certify that this document and authorization to charge deposit account is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (F)

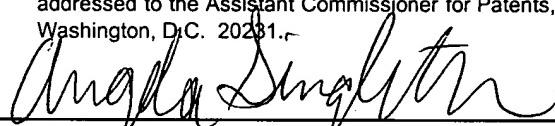
(Date)

Signature

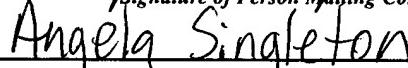
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate

**Certificate of Mailing by First Class Mail**

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on December 16, 2003 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence



Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Certificate

\*This certificate may only be used if paying by deposit account.

  
Signature

Dated: 12/16/03

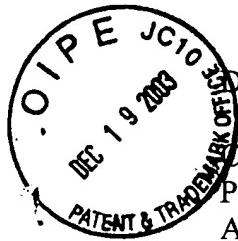
**RECEIVED**

DEC 29 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

cc:

3754/B



December 16, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Information Disclosure Statement  
Inventors: Osterfeld et al.  
Entitled: MATERIAL DISPENSING APPARATUS INCLUDING A NOZZLE HAVING A WEDGE-SHAPED APERTURE, AND METHOD OF USING SAME  
Serial Number: 10/037,565  
Filed: 11/07/01  
Attorney Docket No: H0001612-4

Sir:

We enclose herewith:

- Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.97(c))
- PTO-1449 citing 4 references
- Copies of 4 references cited

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 and other applicable rules to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely in the event a petition is required.

Respectfully submitted,

John F. Buckert  
Reg. No. 44,572  
Customer No. 000128  
Phone: 248-524-2300  
Fax: 248-524-2700

RECEIVED

DEC 29 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail under 37 CFR 1.8 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on December 16, 2003.

Angela Singleton